



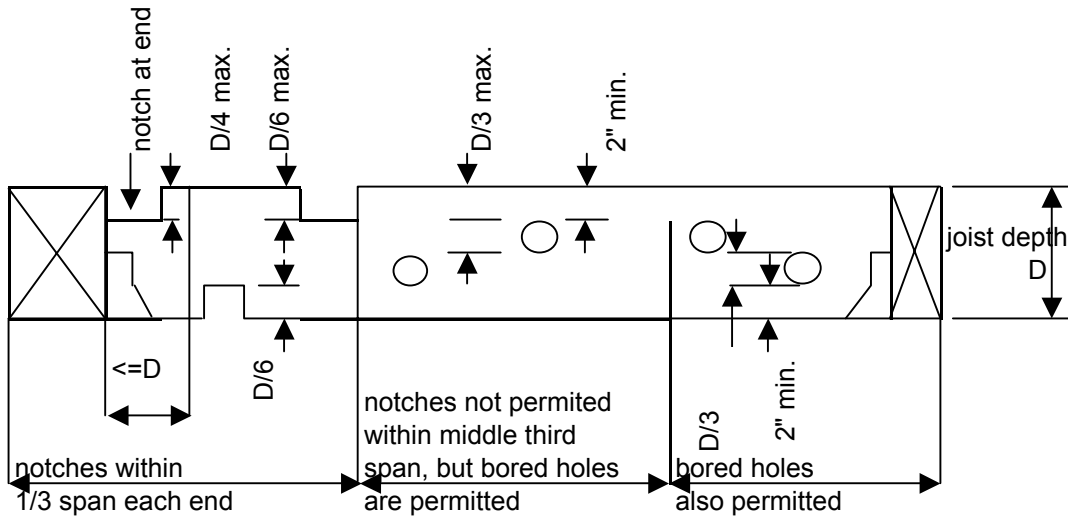
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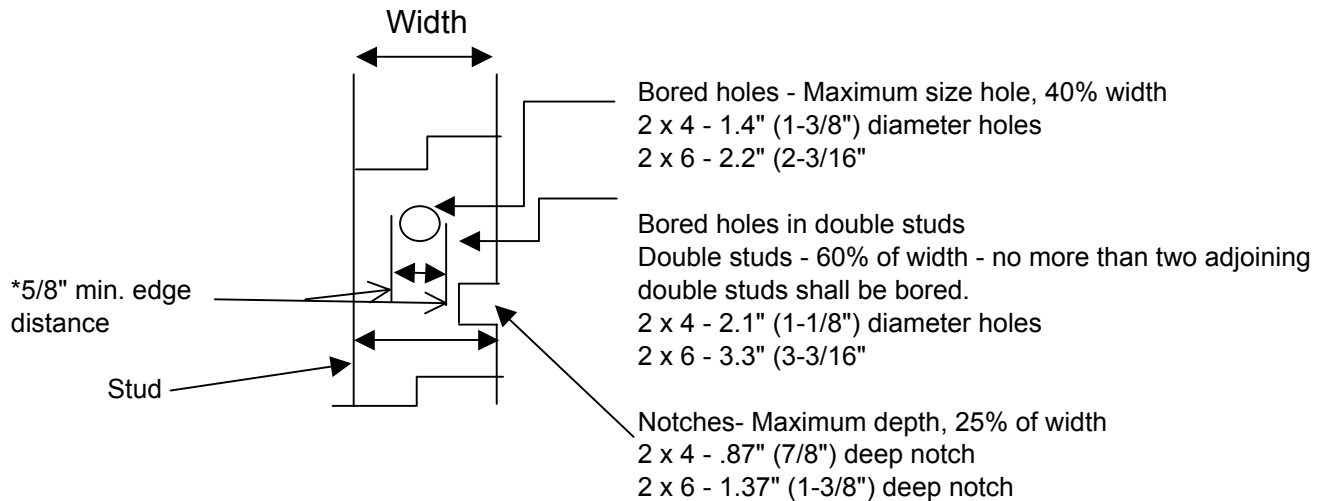
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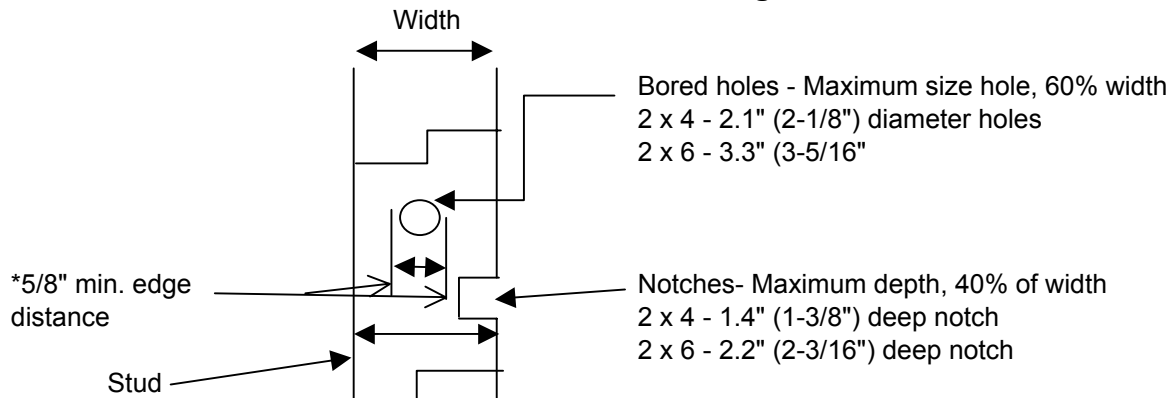
Notching and Boring Through Joists



Bored, Cutting and Notching of Wall Studs



Exterior Walls and Bearing Walls



*Portion of stud remaining at notches or holes shall be sound wood without excessive strength-reducing properties such as knots, breaks, splits, excessive slope of grain, etc.

INTERIOR NONBEARING WALLS